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Title:

TRANSITION METAL HALO- AND HYDROXY-PHOSPHATES

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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Dear Sir:

If any charges or fees must be paid in connection with the following communication, they may be paid out of our Deposit Account No. 220100.

This communication is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed June 10, 2002. Please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks prior to examination of the present application.

### **REMARKS**

This communication is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed June 10, 2002. Applicants have replaced the Abstract as filed with a substitute Abstract which, in accordance with 37 C.F.R §1.72(b), does not exceed 150 words in length. No new matter has been added to the substitute Abstract. A marked-up copy of the Abstract as filed is enclosed herewith showing all changes relative thereto.

Should anything further be required, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned at 702-558-1000 (x1071).

Respectfully submitted,

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

An Abstract not to exceed 150 words in length, commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1,72(b)).

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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